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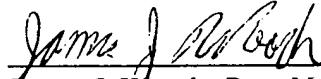
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A two month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to March 8, 2002 is hereby requested to respond to the Notice of Missing Parts dated November 8, 2001. A check for \$1278.00 is enclosed including the \$400.00 fee required for the extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to deposit account no. 02-4270.

Respectfully submitted,


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